

**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	
	:	Attorney Docket No. T-5979
Jesse Meyer et al.	:	
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Serial No. 10/660,948	:	GROUP ART UNIT 1797
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Filed: September 12, 2003	:	EXAMINER: JAMES GOLOBOY
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For: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION	:	
OF STABILIZED POLYALKENYL	:	
SULFONIC ACIDS	:	P.O. Box 6006
	:	San Ramon, CA 94583-0806

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL REJECTION

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respectfully respond to the Examiner's Non-Final Rejection which was mailed December 18, 2009, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set. Filed concurrently herewith are a two month Petition for Extension of Time under 37

CFR 1.136, and appropriate fees for the Petition for Extension of Time.

### Introductory Comments

Applicants submit a response to the Examiner's Non-Final Rejection. **Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.